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Time Table in Effect, January 6th, 1919

Table with columns for Read Down, Atlantic Standard Time, and Read Up. It lists train schedules between Charlottetown, Hunter River, Emerald Jct., Borden, Summerside, Port Hill, O'Leary, Alberton, Tignish, Mt. Stewart, Cardigan, Montague, Georgetown, and Murray Harbor.

Except as noted the above trains run daily Sunday excepted. W. T. HUGGAN, District Passenger Agent

IT PAYS to buy in this Province.

ANNUAL PHILATHEA TEA to aid Orphanage, Tuesday night, Y. M. C. A. 4130-2-22M21.

TEA APRON AND CANDY SALE. in St. Paul's Parish Hall Thursday February 27th. 4163

CHORAL CLUB MINSTRELS. See Sis Hopkins at the big Minstrel show on March 3rd. 4157

COAL. Albion Nut for stoves Albion round for furnaces. Hard Chestnut for baseburners at G.E. Full's. 4108 2-21 m 41

WANTED. Millinery trimmer, qualified to take charge of work room. Writing experience. R.T. Holman Ltd. Saide. 21

RESOLUTION OF SYMPATHY. The members of the York W. M. S. desire to express their sincere sympathy with their sister Mrs. Isaac Hardy and her family in the loss they have recently been called upon to bear through the death of their faithful son and brother Herbert, one who faithfully and efficiently filled the place of son and father in the home. Signed committee.

WEDDING BELLS. At the home of the groom Dundee, Feb 18th an important event occurred, when Malcolm Lester McLeod was united in marriage to Isabella Stewart of Orwell. A few friends of the contracting parties were present, Dr McEwen performed the ceremony, after which a bounteous supper was served. The newly married couple have the best wishes of the community for a happy voyage through life.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY. A number of the immediate friends of Mr. and Mrs. Parnell McMahon of Emerald, called at their home on Monday evening last to extend their friendly greetings on the tenth anniversary of their marriage. They were warmly welcomed and entertained by the host and hostess and a few hours were very enjoyably spent. Instrumental music was supplied by Mr. P. Deighan and the vocal selections by Mr. W. Lawless of Norboro added much to the pleasure of the occasion. A congratulatory address was read by Mr. W. Smith of Newton and suitable gifts were presented, for all of which the visitors were heartily thanked by Mr. McMahon in a few well chosen words. After doing justice to the bountiful supply of delicacies spread so elaborately before them by Mrs. McMahon the gathering dispersed thankful for the generosity extended and trusting that all might be spared to attend the golden anniversary.

Another Islander Home from France

Among the soldiers who returned last week was Private Jack A. Shaw, son of Mr. Neil Shaw of DeSable, Pte. Shaw left San Francisco, Cal., and proceeded to Victoria, B.C. where he enlisted in the 50th Gordon Highlanders. He went overseas with that unit. He was afterwards transferred into the 7th Infantry Battalion and after seeing service with that Battalion for some months transferred into the Lord Strathcona Horse in which unit he went through the Amiens drive on August 8th and 9th. He was then transferred back to the 7th Infantry Battalion in time to go "over the top" at Cambrai on Sept. 27th where he was wounded at Bourlon Wood and was sent back to the line on a stretcher. Then to Lord Derby Hospital, Lancashire, England on Oct. 1st. Pte. Shaw is a nephew of Mr. Arch. McKinnon, Hillside Square, whose guest he was while in the city.

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LOST. Will the person who picked up the gold wristlet watch Saturday night please return it to Guardian Office. 21

RESERVE WEDNESDAY EVENING next, February 26th, for the entertainment in Victoria Hall. Rev. Father Gauthier, of St. Louis will deliver the address. 4037-2-19mmwft41.

BANQUET AT YORK. The members of Excelsior Farmers Institute, York held their annual banquet on Friday night. The hall was packed and the banquet was one of the most successful in the history of the Institute. Mr. Peter Brodie, the President, gave an admirable address describing mainly the Stock Breeders' Association which he attended in Toronto as representative of the swine breeders of this province. Mr. Brodie also emphasized the need of co-operation among the farmers. Rev. Mr. Wilson, of Covehead, in his address declared that too many farmers' sons were being educated away from the farms, and he made a strong appeal for more agricultural education in this province. Mr. J. H. Gill, Charlottetown, formerly of York, concisely set forth the value of co-operation among farmers and made fitting reference to his pleasant memories of his sojourn in York. The remainder comprised solos by E. Saunders, Chas. Earle, of Charlottetown, Geo. Bearisto, Hazelbrook, and a reading by Miss Crawford, of York, all very highly appreciated. Encores were the order of the evening, and Mr. Chas. Earle gave five selections in his usual superb style. Between 200 and 300 people sat down to supper provided by the ladies of York and other districts within the sphere of the Institute. Needless to say the repast was fully up to the high standard of previous years. It was about one a.m. when the proceedings were brought to a close. Among those in attendance were a number of returned soldiers, chiefly of York and vicinity, namely, Geo. Brown and Wm. Vessey, of York, Fenwick Crockett, Wm. Watts and Alfred Watts, Pleasant Grove. All these men had been in France and severely wounded.

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FRANCE HAS A CLAIM

Relations With Syria Dates Back to Crusades

The first statement since the armistice regarding European intentions in Turkey which may be considered as bearing the marks of official authority, says the New York Sun, was the recent declaration of France's interests by Stephen Pichon, the French Foreign Minister, in the Chamber of Deputies. He said that the French rights in Armenia, Syria, Lebanon and Palestine were incontestable, that while the subject was one with which the Peace Conference was at liberty to deal, "we consider our rights are fully established by our agreements with Great Britain." While the existence of an agreement between the two nations most keenly interested in the Ottoman empire is thus acknowledged there is nothing that clearly defines the character of the interests which France and Great Britain will seek. There is apparently a careful avoidance of such words as colonization, spheres of influence or even protectorate except as it is used regarding a demand for protection made by the Armenians themselves. The basis of the French claims in Syria is unquestionably the oldest of any made by a European nation. The title of Protector of Oriental Christians was conferred upon the French kings by the Pope, on account of France's activity in the Crusades. Small states were founded by French nobles who took part in the crusades; there were, in fact, four French States in Syria at the time of the Crusades, the Kingdom of Jerusalem, the County of Edessa and the principalities or counties of Antioch and Tripoli. For many years the Porte bestowed the name Frank upon all Europeans whatever was their nationality. It was to these conditions that M. Pichon referred when he spoke of the French claim as based upon "historic conventions." But France has a modern claim upon Turkey. Perhaps fully half of the great national debt of the Ottoman empire before the beginning of the war, a debt estimated then at \$1,000,000,000, represented money advanced by France to the Sultan. Except the pilgrims' road to Medina, the Hedjaz line, all the railroads of Syria had been financed by the French. France furnished the capital to establish most of the successful industries, notably the Lebanon silk factories; and the products of these industries were sent to France. It is these very evident and important considerations that make the future of Syria a matter of such deep concern to France. They represent to her the leading factors in the Near East question and the reasons for her strong insistence upon a paramount interest in this portion of the Turkish empire.

Rev. R. G. Sinclair returned last week from Halifax accompanied by his son Pte. Gordon Sinclair who had just returned from overseas. Pte. Sinclair is visiting friends in Hamilton and returns to Toronto after securing his discharge. He served at the front since 1914 and was twice wounded but has completely recovered.

FAVOURS A MEMORIAL HIGHWAY

Sir, I have been reading with interest the suggestions made and noted donations offered providing a home, etc. is erected here for returned soldiers. Let us not come to any hasty conclusion in the matter. Let us consider first the suggestion of a home for returned soldiers. What percentage of our soldiers come from the city? Possibly 10 per cent, and the remaining 90 per cent from the country districts and 90 per cent are yet across the Atlantic. Granting that a home is built here, have you considered the problem of maintaining it in a suitable manner? Is it not possible that at the end of say three years, when matters have settled down to normal that little interest might be taken in this, even by the boys themselves? By that time the returned soldiers will have settled down on the farms or to some other mode of employment, and in the meantime the Federal Government has provided here a Convalescent Home with all possible comforts, which our gallant boys are entitled to. I believe that the great majority of the boys who have so loyally answered the stern call of duty will look on this from a broader standpoint and favor the erection of a monument that will be of a more enduring nature than that which, in all probability will pass away in a few years. The boys who have been loyal to the cause of the British Empire will now, we feel quite sure, express the same loyalty to the little province of their birth. The suggestion of having a public highway erected in this province to the memory of our returned heroes is one that commends itself for various reasons. First, it would be an enduring monument to our returned heroes; secondly, with a large grant from our Federal Government, from our Local Government, the auto taxes of the province and the large contribution which would be made and which would include every citizen in this province, would furnish employment for hundreds of our returned soldiers and others for years to come. With the improved roads and the possibilities for motor traffic in this province would mean the dawn of a new era. A highway extending from the capital and reaching out from end to end of the province, what more enduring monument to our heroes than one that would continue to be of a lasting benefit to every section of our province? I would gladly make a generous contribution to a monument of this nature.

In England there exists to-day in good condition, roads erected by the Romans to convey their heavy armies, retaining a monument throughout the years to their memory.

I am Sir, S.A. McDONALD.

30,000 People Passed Sir Wilfred's Bier

(Special to the Guardian)

OTTAWA, Feb. 22.—Thirty thousand people walking in reverent procession passed the bier of Sir Wilfred Laurier yesterday. From early morning until far into the night men and even children stood in line for hours waiting their turn to take a last look at the face of the departed statesman. They passed through the chamber of death at the rate of two thousand an hour, a sad silent impressive throng, some pausing long enough to cross themselves, some holding children so that they might look upon the face of the illustrious

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dead. It was a strange and profoundly affecting scene. Even a snowstorm this afternoon failed to deter the people from homage to the dead Chieftain and notwithstanding weather conditions the throng increased instead of diminishing.

The populace assembled in such numbers last night that the streets leading to the Parliament buildings were choked and the Dominion police maintained order with great difficulty.

BOLSHEVIKI SUFFER ANOTHER DEFEAT

(Special to the Guardian)

AMSTERDAM, Feb. 22.—The Allied forces in skillful operations carried out with courage and dash have advanced to Segofa, sixty miles south of Soroko on the Murman Railway. According to an undated official report received here last night the Bolshevik lost fifty men killed and eighty wounded and the Allies captured much material.

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